

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

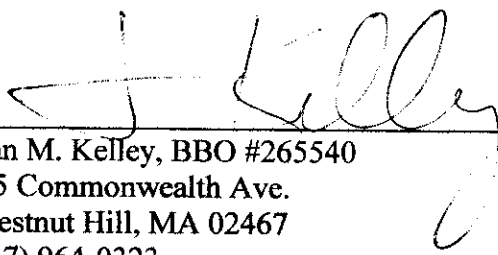
CIVIL ACTION NO. 03-12350-RGS

KATHLEEN HOWE,
Plaintiff,
v.
CONTINENTAL CASUALTY COMPANY
Defendant

**RULE 7.3 (A) CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF THE
DEFENDANT CONTINENTAL CASUALTY COMPANY**

Now comes the defendant Continental Casualty Company and states that it is 100% owned by CNA Financial Corporation; and more than 10% of CNA Financial Corporation's voting stock is owned by the publicly held Loews Corporation, which has a current address of 667 Madison Ave., N.Y., N.Y. 10021-8087.

CONTINENTAL CASUALTY COMPANY,
By its attorneys,
MORRISON, MAHONEY & MILLER, LLP

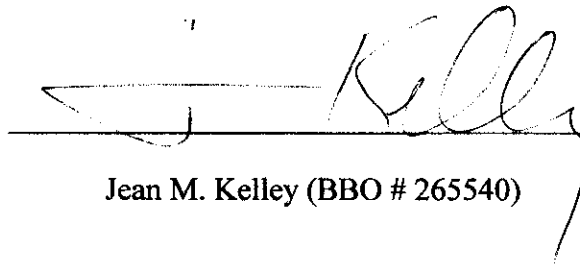


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jean M. Kelley, hereby certify that I have this 31 day of March, 2004, served a true copy of the Parties' Joint Statement Regarding Pre-Trial Matters; the Defendant Continental Casualty Company's Certification of Compliance with Local Rule 16.1(D)(3); and the Defendant Continental Casualty Company's 7.3 Corporate Disclosure Statement by first class mail, postage prepaid, upon counsel of record:

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